


REMARKS

Claims 4, 6-10, 14 and 15 are pending the application; Claims 4, 10, 14 and 15 stand rejected; Claims 6-9 are objected to but indicated as allowable if amended to include the limitations of base claims. By this Amendment, Claim 10 has been cancelled, Claims 4, 6, 8, 14-15 have been amended and new Claims 19-21 have been added. These amendments and new claims add no new matter to the application.

Applicant herewith submits amendments to put the case into condition for allowance in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions. Cancelled claims and amendments herein are all without prejudice to Applicant further arguing allowability in continuing applications. The limitations of claim 10 have been incorporated into now independent claims 6 and 8, and the other rejected claims now amended to depend from claim 6; new claims 19-21 correspond to claims 4 and 14-15, except that they are dependent on claim 8.

Applicant believes that it has responded fully to all of the concerns expressed by the Examiner in the Office Action, and respectfully requests that new Claims be entered and examined, and that early favorable action be taken on all claims pending in the application. If the Examiner has any further concerns, Applicant requests a call to Patrick Dwyer at (206) 343-7074.

Respectfully submitted,



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